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## WINNERS NAMED IN TORRANCE COMMUNITY TELEVISION'S 20th

Torrance, Calif., Jan. 20, 2011 – Six Torrance producers received coveted prizes at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Torrance Community Television (TCtv) Awards held Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup> in the Torrance Cultural Arts Center's Toyota Meeting Hall. The awards ceremony, themed "Follow the Yellow Brick Road to TCtv" recognized the efforts of TCtv producers for excellence in television programming, creating original video that was cablecast on Torrance Channel (Time Warner 28 and Verizon FiOS 36 cable systems) throughout the year 2011.

In addition to the programming category winners listed below, a special award – the **Producer of the Year Award** – that honors the producer who "best utilized the TCtv facilities" went to **Betty and Jarel Wheaton.**The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual TCtv Award winners are:

CATEGORY	WINNER/S	SHOW TITLE
Comedy	Amar Salgia	The Happy Husband
Documentary	Donna Phelan	Perspective with Donna Phelan Presents Kristallnacht
Entertainment	Betty & Jarel Wheaton	Peninsula Seniors Lecture Series – Dr. William Beanes & the Star Spangle Banner by Daniel Slosberg
Music	Donna Phelan	Perspective with Donna Phelan Presents – A Taste of Sherry
Short	Zurlene Moore	Skatepark P.V.
Talk	Donna Phelan	Perspective with Donna Phelan Presents – Trifinity

TCtv Awards, also known as the "Stanley's" were named in honor of the late Stanley E. Remelmeyer, Torrance's former City Attorney who was instrumental in the development of cable television in the City. Through the awards ceremony, the City encourages quality programming by the community and introduces the public to the purpose and benefits of public access television. The City of Torrance has provided public access to its residence since 1987.

This year's ceremony was sponsored by Exxon Mobil, City of Torrance, and Torrance Public Access Foundation; with the <u>Ronnie Ciago Quintet</u> providing entertainment. The ceremony can be seen daily on Time Warner channel 28 or Verizon Fios channel 36 at 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. beginning February 1<sup>st</sup> through February 14<sup>th</sup>.

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